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In re application of:

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Examiner: Stephen M. HEPERLE

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For: CAPACITY CONTROL VALVE AND CONTROL METHOD THEREFOR

SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT DRAWING

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

February 2, 2006

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's objection to the drawing in the Allowable Subject Matter attached to the Notice of Allowability, Figure 8 has been designated as "Prior Art". Enclosed for filing is the replacement drawing sheet for Figure 8 in which the drawing has been put into proper format under the U.S. practice.

In the event that any fees are due with respect to this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Attorney docket number 108179-00031.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: Replacement Sheet of Figure 8 (1 sheet)